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## RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2007, the term to respond extends to April 10, 2008, with a one month extension. An RCE is filed with this response, to enable consideration of 1.131 Declaration (enclosed). Please enter this amendment and remarks.

**The claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.